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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Philip M. Denby et al.  
Application No. : 09/664,459  
Filed : September 18, 2000  
For : AUTOMATED SOFTWARE UPGRADE UTILITY  
Art Unit : 2152  
Docket No. : 480062.665  
Date : February 26, 2001

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 9, 2000, please find enclosed a Declaration and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts for the above-identified application.

Please find enclosed a Petition for an Extension of Time, extending the time for response from January 9, 2001, to March 9, 2001.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,230.00 for the requisite fees.

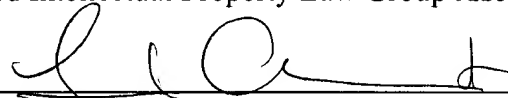
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Basic Fee	\$ 710.00
Total Claims (1, 0 extra)	0.00
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Extension-of-Time Fee	390.00
TOTAL	\$1,230.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

- • The balance due by applicant is \$ 820.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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